

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International Application No

PCT/JP 98/01284

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC 6 A61K9/00 A61K47/32 A61K47/38 A61K47/36 A61K31/67
A61K31/43 A61K31/42

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

IPC 6 A61K

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practical, search terms used)

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X,P	EP 0 793 959 A (TAKEDA CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES LTD) 10 September 1997 *cf. abstract, page 2, right col., lines 14-51, page 3, right col., line 21 and last para. bridging with page 4, lines 1-35, examples 4 and 5 on page 7*	1-30
X	EP 0 250 374 A (RECORDATI CHEM PHARM ;CONSIGLIO NAZIONALE RICERCHE (IT)) 23 December 1987 *cf. page 3, lines 5-42, example 1 on page 3, last line bridging with page 4, lines 1-60, claims 1-2*	1-30
Y	WO 93 15746 A (URECAP CORP) 19 August 1993 *cf. abstract, page 11, 3rd para., page 14, lines 20-35, claims 12 and 13*	1-30
	-/--	

☒ Further documents are listed in the continuation of box C.

☒ Patent family members are listed in annex.

Special categories of cited documents :

"A" document defining the general state of the art which is not considered to be of particular relevance
"E" earlier document but published on or after the international filing date
"L" document which may throw doubts on priority claim(s) or which is cited to establish the publication date of another citation or other special reason (as specified)
"O" document referring to an oral disclosure, use, exhibition or other means
"P" document published prior to the international filing date but later than the priority date claimed

"T" later document published after the international filing date or priority date and not in conflict with the application but cited to understand the principle or theory underlying the invention
"X" document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered novel or cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is taken alone
"Y" document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is combined with one or more other such documents, such combination being obvious to a person skilled in the art.
"&" document member of the same patent family

Date of the actual completion of the international search

13 July 1998

Date of mailing of the international search report

23/07/1998

Name and mailing address of the ISA

European Patent Office, P.B. 5818 Patentlaan 2
NL - 2280 HV Rijswijk
Tel. (+31-70) 340-2040. Tx. 31 651 epo nl.
Fax: (+31-70) 340-3016

Authorized officer

Stoltner, A

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International Application No

PCT/JP 98/01284

C.(Continuation) DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
Y	<p>DATABASE WPI Section Ch, Week 9751 Derwent Publications Ltd., London, GB; Class A96, AN 97-554658 XP002071327 & JP 09 268 126 A (NISSHIN FLOUR MILLING CO) see abstract</p> <p>-----</p>	1-30

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

Information on patent family members

International Application No

PCT/JP 98/01284

Patent document cited in search report	Publication date	Patent family member(s)	Publication date
EP 0793959 A	10-09-1997	CA 2199345 A CN 1164424 A JP 9295933 A	07-09-1997 12-11-1997 18-11-1997
EP 0250374 A	23-12-1987	JP 63115812 A	20-05-1988
WO 9315746 A	19-08-1993	US 5409903 A CA 2129999 A EP 0625906 A JP 7504171 T	25-04-1995 19-08-1993 30-11-1994 11-05-1995